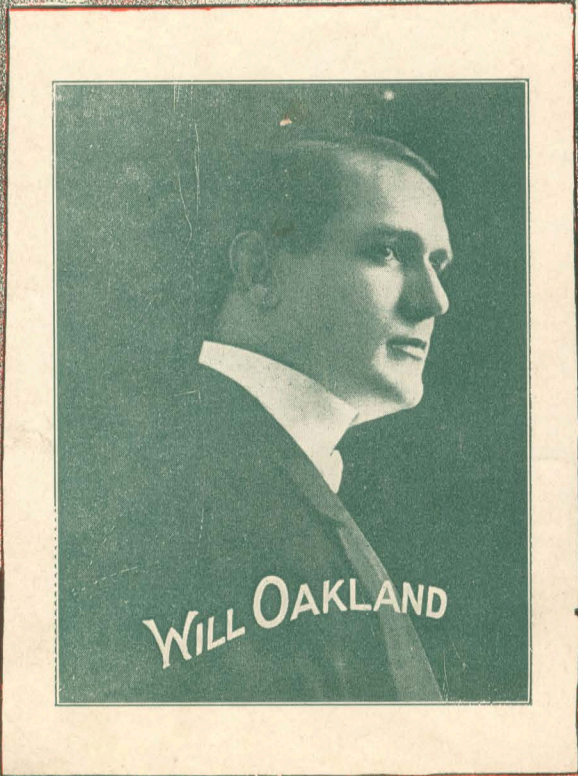


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PIANO *Marcia*

The musical score is written for piano and voice. The piano part is in 2/4 time, marked 'Marcia' (march) and 'PIANO'. It features a series of chords and moving lines in both hands. The vocal melody is written on a single staff, with lyrics underneath. The lyrics are: 'Tell me, tell me, sweet-heart, what can I buy for you? — If / Tell me, hon - ey, tell me, hon - ey, what it's a - bout? — / I on - ly knew, — what would please you; — / Like to find out, — what's it a - bout; —'. The score includes various musical notations such as treble and bass clefs, key signatures (two flats), time signatures, and dynamic markings like 'f' (forte) and 'p' (piano).

Tell me, tell me, sweet-heart, what can I buy for you? — If
Tell me, hon - ey, tell me, hon - ey, what it's a - bout? —
I on - ly knew, — what would please you; —
Like to find out, — what's it a - bout; —

Then she tells him she would sac - ri - fice all the rest, —
Seems so fun - ny, seems so fun - ny, what are these tales, —

On - ly one thing — I'd like best, —
Ev' - ry - one buys — cot - ton bales, —

I'll be so grate - ful to you, —
Sweet-heart the bar - gain is sealed, —

There'll be some oth - ers glad too. —
I'll buy a whole — cot - ton field. —

CHORUS

Buy a bale of cot - ton, buy a bale of cot - ton,

If you want to make me ha - pp - y; —

Keep your dia - mond rings, oth - er fan - cy things,

I hear the South a - call - ing me; —

The musical score is written for voice and piano. The key signature has two flats (B-flat and E-flat), and the time signature is 2/4. The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand. Dynamics include *p* (piano) and *ff* (fortissimo). The melody is simple and catchy, with lyrics printed below the notes.

Trink-ets are love - ly for a girl - ie like me, — I

hate to lose those pres-ents, so, but please hear my plea, —

I must mur - mur nix - ie, just to save old Dix - ie,

Buy a bale of cot - ton for me. —

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f *D.S.*

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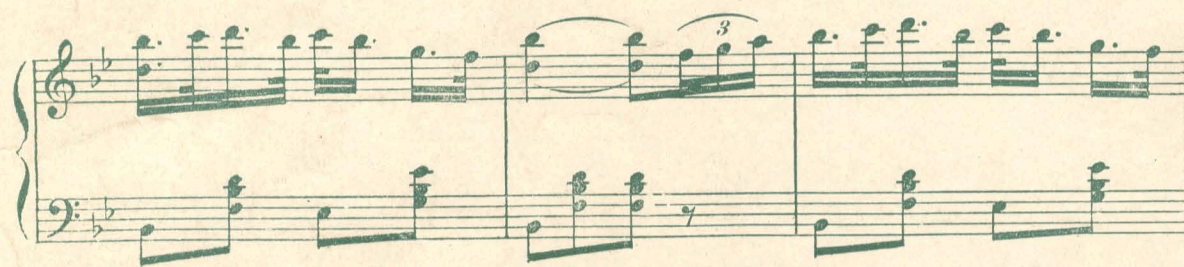
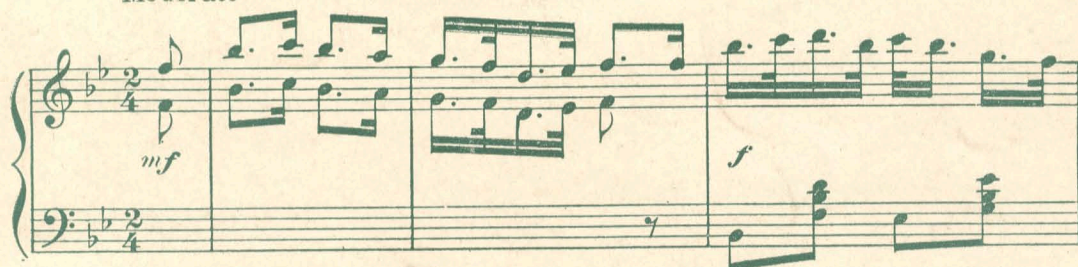
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